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TO AMEMBASSY TUNIS

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E.O. 11652: NA

TAGS: OSCI TPHY TU

SUBJ: HEW/SRS/SFCP - OFFICIAL TRAVEL OF DR. HELEN NICOL

1. SRS ADVISES THAT DR. HELEN NICOL, OFFICE OF RESEARCH AND DEMONSTRATIONS, HEW/SRS WILL VISIT TUNISIA FOR CONSULTATION IN CONNECTION SRS INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH PROGRAM AUTHORIZED UNDER P.L. 480.

ETA FROM GENEVA TUESDAY MARCH 2 AT 1245 VIA SR 242, ETD TUNIS SUNDAY MARCH 7 AT 0840 VIA TU 952.

2. DR. NICOL'S MISSION IS TO CONSULT WITH EMBASSY AND GOT OFFICIALS INCLUDING MINISTRY OF JUSTICE CHEF DE CABINET, MR. RASHID SABBAGH OR SUCCESSOR IN THIS POST TO DISCUSS STATUS 19-P-58372-F-01 AND RELATED PLANS.

3. IF DATES ARE SATISFACTORY; SRS REQUESTS EMBASSY TO ARRANGE APPOINTMENTS WITH ROGER CARLSON, PROGRAM OFFICER, USAID, HONORABLE MOHAMED ENNACEUR, MINISTER OF LABOR AND SOCIAL AFFAIRS. MINISTER ENNACEUR VISITED SRS DURING HIS RECENT VISIT TO WASHINGTON AND STAFF OF SRS HAS LONG WORKING RELATIONSHIP WITH MINISTER IN CONNECTION WITH UN ACTIVITIES. DR. NICOL WISHES TO UNCLASSIFIED

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SPEND TIME AT MINISTRY OF SOCIAL AFFAIRS REVIEWING CURRENT

PROGRAMS AND INTEREST IN INTERCHANGE WITH U.S. DR. NICOL IS FLUENT IN FRENCH.

ADVANCE PER DIEM AND FUNDS NECESSARY TO HER ASSIGNMENT AND CHARGE TO APPROPRIATION 75X0138 CAN 61996048; CONFIRM SUITABLE HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS IN TUNIS FOR 2 TO 7 MARCH; IF POSSIBLE MEET ON ARRIVAL; AND PLEASE CABLE ACTION TAKEN.

4. SRS APPRECIATES EMBASSY'S ASSISTANCE. INGERSOLL

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